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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA

Dear Sir:

This responds the Office Action dated December 12, 2007. In light of the examiner's belated clarification in the Office Action as to how he was previously construing the claims, these amendments simply reform the subject matter of the claimed invention as it was plainly disclosed in the original specification, rendering it appropriate to consider the amendments after final.

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